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ANGEL CHILDREN.

Is there any happier woman in this world than that mother whose each successive little one seems to her but one more darling angel to continually lift her thoughts toward the sunshine of perfect happiness? But sorry is the lot of that poor mother to whom motherhood has ceased to be a cause of rejoicing, but has become instead a burden to be dreaded and looked forward to with melancholy and apprehension.

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Bridegroom in a Trunk.

A dispatch from Omaha, Neb., says that because he ran short of money on his wedding tour and had only cash enough for one ticket, George Francis sent his wife through from Denver to Chicago on a passenger train, and he himself attempted to make the trip in a trunk as his wife's baggage. He was taken out of the trunk at Omaha Saturday night about three-quarters dead but the wife got through her journey all right They had secured a large trunk, put in some provisions and water, braced it thoroughly, cut holes in it for air, and after Francis took his place the box was securely locked and strapped. Then it was taken to the depot and checked through to Chicago.

After being smashed around, the trunk was heaved into a Union Pacific baggage car and the journey began. Just before reaching Omaha, Saturday night, the baggage-man heard a groan from a pile of baggage. An investigation resulted in his locating the source, and with a gun in his hand, he demanded to know who was inside, threatening to fire through the trunk unless he was answered.

In muffled tones came the answer and the story, with a request that the trunk be broken open and the man inside be liberated. This was done and Francis was assisted out. His trunk had been delayed one train, and his water bottles had broken soon after the trunk was fastened. He had been without water for nearly two days. He was taken to police headquarters and later released. "It was the most remarkable ride I ever took, and I don't want any more, said Francis.

Duel in a Parlor.

Dr. O. T. Kenyon and R. E. Dickerson fought duel to death in the parlor of Mrs. Weston's residence in Atlanta, Ga., yesterday morning shortly after midnight in the presence of fifteen-year-old Florence Weston, with whom the men were in love.

Dr. Kenyon was wounded, probably fatally, and Dickerson was instantly killed, being shot through the heart.

Dickerson had been in love with the girl for some time, and had repeatedly asked that he be allowed to escort her to the theater and other places of amusement. Mrs. Weston, however, refused, on the plea that her daughter was too young.

On Saturday night Dr. Kenyon, who is a friend of the Westons, took the girl to the opera house. Dickerson learned of this and became enraged. He waited on the veranda of the Weston home till Kenyon and the girl returned, followed them into the parlor, and denounced Kenyon.

After the exchange of a few words, Dickenson drew a revolver and shot Kenyon, the latter falling on the floor. Dickerson bent over the wounded man, preparing to shoot again, when Kenyon fired, and Dickerson fell dead.

Florence Weston, the innocent cause of the tragedy, fainted when Kenyon was shot, and when Dickerson was killed his body fell on the prostrate girl.

It is given out by police authorities that should Dr. Kenyon recover he will not be tried by the State courts, as it is said that the evidence shows he was justified.

It is said that just before the shooting Dickerson was seen to swallow enough laudanum to kill a man, and with suicidal intent. Dr. Kenyon will be tried in Police Court on the charge of discharging fire arms within the city limits. Dr. Kenyon's home is at Dawson, Ga.

Deadly Football.

The Chicago Tribune sent the following to President Roosevelt last night:

"The 1905 football season practically closed Saturday with two dead on the field of battle. Yesterday's fatalities bring the total of slain to nineteen and the injured (record only being made of accidents out of the ordinary) to 137. This year's record of deaths is more than double that of the yearly average for the last five years, the total for that period being forty-five. A significant fact is that the teams playing an open game have escaped with less than their usual quota of accidents."

The Tribune's list shows the following: "Of those slaughtered to make a touchdown eleven were high school players and ten of the killed were immature boys of seventeen and under. Three hardened, seasoned and presumably physically fit college men were slain. The others were amateurs. Body blows producing internal injuries were responsible for four deaths, concussion of the brain claimed six victims, injuries to the spine resulted fatally in three cases, blood poisoning carried off two gridiron warriors, and other injuries caused four deaths. Among the injuries that have not resulted fatally are: Broken collarbones and shoulders 19; broken legs, 31; broken arms, 9; fractures of some portions of head, 19; broken ribs, 3; spinal injuries, 3, and concussion of brain, 3."

Doctor Killed by a Woman.

Mrs. James F. Birdsong, wife of a dentist in Monticello, Miss., on Saturday walked into the office of Dr. Thomas Butler, the leading physician of that town, and with great deliberation, but without a word of explanation, emptied the five barrels of her revolver at him. Her aim was excellent, the first shot going through Dr. Butler's heart and killing him instantly. The woman, however, kept on firing at the prostrate body, putting another shot through Butler's heart and two through his abdomen. She then went direct to the sheriff's office and surrendered herself, telling of the killing but offering no explanation. Dr. Birdsong was subsequently arrested as accessory, the killing having been done with his revolver. Mrs. Birdsong is only 19 years old, yet has been married five years. Two days ago she went to a lawyer and had her will made, saying she expected to die very soon. She then took a dose of morphine, with suicidal intent. The physicians succeed in saving her life, but it was a very narrow escape, and she was confined to her bed for two days. As soon as she recovered sufficiently to get out she hurried to Dr. Butler's office and killed him. It is understood that her defense will be that Dr. Butler made improper proposals to her. Dr. Butler was a married man with a large family and stood high in the community. He was a nephew of ex-Governor Longino.

$10,000 and a Kiss.

A dispatch to the Chicago Tribune from Memphis, Tenn., says: "Ten thousand dollars and a kiss from a leading society woman is the reward given to Dr. Heber Jones, president of the Memphis Board of Health, in recognition of his successful efforts in keeping the city free from yellow fever during the recent visit of the scourge to the southern States. The check was the result of a subscription list taken up by influential citizens who quickly secured $10,000. The kiss was not an the programme for the formal presentation, which occurred Thursday. The society woman was Mrs. James S. Robinson, wife of the millionaire pharmacist. Following the presentation of the check she walked up to the physician, and, without a word of warning, kissed dim squarely upon the lips. The act took Dr. Jones by surprise, but he soon regained his composure.

A Creeping Death.

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MONDAY EVENING, NOV. 27, 1905.

THE following account of the trial of Midshipman Meriwether charged with having caused the death of Midshipman Branch was sent from Annapolis by a a correspondent of the Richmond Times-Dispatch. In the main, it is the same story sent to all the newspapers and needs little comment. It shows the "code of honor" existing at the naval academy to be false and damnable; that it is unfair to the weaker boy; that the fights are brutal and that the officers in command are hearless wretches, who openly break their oaths in permitting instead of preventing prizefights, as they are sworn to do. In any civil court in the country they would be he held strictly amenable to the State laws governing such matters. Jails are too good for them. So reprehensible has the conduct of these officers been shown to be that the court on Saturday was asked to recognize that the academy authorities were also responsible for Branch's death in that they knew of the fighting code. The following is the story which can only be read with indignation:

The large number of witnesses introduced by the defense Saturday in the court martial of Midshipman Meriwether, charged with having caused the death of Midshipman Branch, resulted in cumulative evidence of the existence of a so-called "code" at the naval academy, inflexible in its terms, immutable, inexorable, even though death itself resulted. Cadet after cadet testified along this same general line, and as each of the trim young sailors told of fights in which he had been engaged as principal or second, of helping to take to the hospital comrades battered or bruised in fights with their fellows; or of one instance in which a young fellow had had his jaw broken in such an encounter, and, after spending a month in the hospital, had resigned; the absorbed attention of the court and spectators attested the deep interest the stories excited. The evidence of the existence of the "code" and of the knowledge of the academy authorities as to the fact had become so thoroughly conclusive, that Capt. Wainwright, a member of the court and a former superintendent of the academy, objected to the introduction of further testimony on this line, the objection was not sustained. It has been made clear to those not connected with the court martial that the court is not trying to establish the fact of the existence of this "code;" there is no doubt in the minds of the members of the court concerning the existence of the "code." The court is not sitting for the purpose of officially discovering this fact. The defense is endeavoring to show that Meriwether could not have refused to fight Branch, that had he done so, he would have become an "outcast," to use a term employed by a midshipman in the witness chair Saturday, and would probably have failed to graduate. Whatever the court may think, there can be little doubt that these facts have been established. A great deal might be brought before the court that has not been brought and may not and probably will not be. It is not apparent that either the government or the accused is trying to elicit all the facts concerning this "code." One witness testified Saturday, concerning Midshipman Pierson who went to the hospital, with a broken jaw, as the result of a fight, with a comrade one Sunday afternoon. The superintendent and commandant of cadets learned all the particulars of the fight, the witness said, but no action was taken, though these officers spent some time with Pierson in the hospital talking with him, concerning the matter. The young fellow reigned in a month. The first classman who whipped him graduated and now is an officer of the navy. The court sustained the objection of the government to that portion of the testimony relating to what Pierson had told the witness regarding his talk with the superintendent and the commandant. But the whole story concerning Pierson was not brought out. He was a fresh young fourth class man, or "rat," sixteen years of age. He was deemed by his class to have been insulted by a first class man. He sent a challenge to the man who had, in the opinion of the class, insulted him. The challenged midshipman referred the cartel to his class. The first class would not allow the man insulted to accept, but selected another man to fight the "rat," a midshipman named Blaisdell from the East Side, in New York. Were he not now an officer of the American navy, he might be called a Bowery tough. He knew everything there was to know about fighting; Pierson knew nothing, and in less than five minutes after the fight began he was down and out, his jaw broken. Pierson lay in the hospital for a week or more, suffering agony. Finally, the midshipman, only a boy, almost a baby, wrote his mother, telling her the whole truth. She cut her son's name from the letter and then sent the epistle to the Secretary of War. That official referred it to the superintendent of the Academy, and then it was that that officer went to see the injured midshipman, and talked with him concerning his injuries, and the affair in which they had been received. The story of the manner in which the information concerning the fight came to the superintendent, leaked out. All the cadets learned of it. Pierson was "sent to Coventry," ostracised, made an outcast. Comrades who had been in the habit of sitting with him and helping him forget his suffering, came no more. Several days passed and they did not return. Only the attendants whose duty required them to see him came near the injured midshipman. Slowly he awoke to the fact that he was being ostracised for having told his mother of his injuries and the manner in which he came by them. He tried to face the situation, but in vain. At the end of a month he resigned from the Academy and went home to his mother. He was confined to his bed five months after going home. This is but one of the many stories one can hear at the Academy concerning "the code" and its cruel results. Only hints of them come out in the testimony, adduced at the trial. The witnesses give "tips." The newspaper men get the stories from midshipmen and from the Academy record. Of course, to assume that the superintendent and commandant of cadets knew nothing of the existence of "the code" would be to assume them men of an order of intelligence far below the average. As a matter of fact, witness after witness has given testimony showing the executive staff of the Academy is thoroughly cognizant of the existence of the code. One or two witnesses have testified concerning conversations with the commandant or superintendent, in which the officers not only recognized, but expressed approval of the system, which compels a midshipman to use his fists when insulted, or when, in the opinion of his class, he should fight.

IN ST. LOUIS yesterday United States Senator Burton, of Kansas, was found guilty by a jury in the United States Circuit Court on all six counts against him, charging that the Senator practiced before the Postoffice Department at Washington while a United States Senator to prevent the issuance of a fraud order against the Rialto Grain and Securities Company, of St. Louis; that he agreed to accept money from the company to represent it before the department, and that he received money for so so doing. This is the second trial of Senator Burton on similar charges, the latest allegations charging the Senator with making the agreement to practice before the Postoffice Department in St. Louis. The Senator was found guilty in the previous trial, but the verdict was reversed by the Supreme Court, because it was proven only that compensation was paid to Burton in Washidgton, outside the jurisdiction of the trial court. In days gone by the whole country would have felt humiliated at a member of its highest law-making body being convicted of crime, but those days have gone and recent developments have shown that many U. S. Senators act upon the principle of get money, it matters not how.

INDICATIONS are that the condition of affairs at the U. S. Naval Academy with regard to hazing and prize fighting will be made the subject of congressional investigation. It should be ordered the day Congress meets. From testimony adduced in the Meriwether court-martial Saturday it appears that fighting was conducted at Annapolis practically under the eyes of the executive officers and the fighters were not interfered with. A midshipman who refused to fight, it was brought out, was ostracized by his class and it was shown that brothers might be forced to fight each other. The terms of the so-called "code of honor" were explained to the court, and the more the explanation the more contemptible was the "code" shown to be.

INTELLIGENCE from Lexington is to the effect that twelve of the refractory cadets "cut" inspection on Saturday that they might be expelled. Their expulsion cannot be too quick. The trouble has been that these boys have been temporized with too much. They went to the Institute to learn discipline; they knew the regulations and openly violated them, refused to make amends and now wish to appear as martyrs. But the stain of expulsion will cling to them throughout their lives.

AMERICAN sports are becoming more and more like gladiatorial contests of old. Three men died Saturday from injuries received in football games, while the number of injured during last week ran up in the hundreds.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.

President Roosevelt this morning removed from office Wm. S. Lieb, U. S. Assistant Treasurer at Philadelphia for violations of the Civil Service rules. The President wrote Mr Lieb a long letter, setting forth the reasons for his actions and gave it out for publication. Among other things, he says: "It appears to me very clear that there has been a constant and consistent effort on your part to envade the provisions of the Civil Service law; to hamper its workings as far as possible, and to obstruct in every way the action of the commission. In your case it seems to me clearly established that you have sought continually to take advantage of every kind of technicality in order to avoid carrying out the law in good faith. By taking advantage of this technicalities you have kept upon the roll in almost continuous positions certain of your own relations and at least one person whose appointment was evidently pressed merely for political reasons, instead of making all proper effort to carry out the law as it applies to appointments within the classified services." The President's letter further says: "It clearly appears that in one examination held upon information furnished by your officer there was such clear evidence of fraud that it had to be canceled. The evidence as to the fradulent character of the examination implicated your sister, two persons from your own town, and one person who was at that time serving in your office under temporary appointment and who was subsequently dismissed from the service for swearing falsely."

The United States government is going to allow the Cuban government to handle the situation in the Isle of Pines as it sees fit. There is no intention on the part of this government to send warships or to in any other way interfere in the proper exercise of the authority of Cuba over the island, which authority has been fully recognized by the United States, any more than it would seek to interfere with the French government in any measures it might see fit to take in putting down disturbances in the Island of Martinique or some other of its possessions. From statements made at the State Department today it is apparent that this country will acquiesce in any action taken by Cuba to prevent the American residents of the Isle of Pines from overthrowing the existing form of government there or from preventing the properly constituted officials of the island from exercising their duties and functions. The attitude of this government is that the Isle of Pines belongs to Cuba and that American or other foreign residents there should recognize that fact and conform to the Cuban laws administered in that island.

A postoffice fraud order has been issued against the Nutriola Company. The ground upon which the order was issued was "that the stock of this company is being sold through the mails by means of pretenses, representations and promises which are false and fraudulent. A fraud order has also been issued against the turf scheme, known as "William Scadler's Secret Service Special," of 234 Broadway."

The President has approved the sentence of dismissal in the case of Capt. Alga P. Berry, of Kansas, 29th Infantry, who, after a protracted trial by court-martial at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, was convicted of charges of drunkenness on duty and of violating his pledge to abstain from drinking intoxicating liquors.

The American National Bank, of Boston, Massachusetts, has been closed by order of the directors after fruitless efforts to have the bank liquidated by another banking corporation. The resources and liabilities of the bank at the close of business November 9, 1905, were $754,803.35 each.

Uprisings against the Jews in Russia still continue according to reports received at the State Department from its consular officers. At Rostoff-on-the-Don there have been fifteen Jews killed and a number wounded, while over ten thousand have been financially ruined. It is estimated that in that city alone the financial losses of the Jews have amounted to over seven million rubles. Similar uprisings have also been reported from Bahmut, Lugantz, Marienopol, Ghenitchesk, and Ekaterinoslov. This information was received at the department this morning by cable.

In the U. S. Supreme Court today, on motion of Solicitor General Hoyt, the cases of Benjamin F. Nelson, Anselm C. Bossard and Clarence I. McNair vs. the United States were advanced to be heard on Januray 2 with the other so-called paper trust cases.

The Supreme Court today upheld the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in shutting cabmen and expressmen, save only the one line with which it has a contract, out of its Chicago depot. It held briefly that such an arrangement was for the benefit of the public. The court held that the Pennsylvania Company has the right to maintain a passenger station at Chicago and that it is its duty to subserve the comforts of passengers and shippers.

The United States Supreme Court today, in the case of John D. Jack vs the State of Kansas, declared valid that section of the Kansas anti-trust law which promises immunity from prosecution or use of his testimony against him to a person called to testify in anti-trust proceedings

Frank Jones, recently convicted of manslaughter in connection with the death of Kate Norbeck, was this morning sentenced to life imprisonment.

The Supreme Court of the United States today, in decisions announced by Justice Harlan, sustained the validity of the garbage collections and destruction ordinances of the cities of San Francisco, Cal., and Detroit, Mich. By removing this garbage, the court held, no private property was taken for public uses; it constituted only the destruction of a nuisance. Justices Peckham and Brewer dissented.

News of the Day.

A slight earthquake shock was felt in Washington about 8 o'clock Saturday night.

The rule against having flowers in either House of Congress on the opening day will be enforced next Monday.

Secretary Wilson reports that the value of farm products in the United States this year will reach $6,415,000,000.

Special Agent Pepper reports that the United States sold Canada last year $160,000,000 of products and gave her 25,000 settlers.

Edward Gustafron, of South Norwalk, Ct., was on Saturday killed by his demented wife, who was later found, a raving maniac, in the swamps.

Lord Rosebery has refused to follow the lead of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman on the Irish question, emphasizing the split in the liberal party.

Louis Dalrymple, one of the most famous cartoonists in America, was taken from his lodgings, yesterday in New York, to a sanitarium on Long Island. He is insane, probably hopelessly.

Thomas W. Lawson announces that he has won the fight for control of the annual elections of the Mutual and New York Life Insurance companies which means the overthrow of President McCurdy and President McCall.

Secretary Taft in Washington last night gave a dinner at his home to the board of consulting engineers of the Panama Canal Commission. The occasion was a farewell entertainment of the foreign delegates, who left today for New York en route to their respective countries.

The jury in the case of Pendleton Fillmore Taylor, indicted in Washington for killing his wife, by striking her on the head with a hatchet, reached an agreement at 4:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and rendered a verdict of manslaughter. The verdict was qualified with a recommendation for the mercy of the court The defendant was remanded to jail to await sentence.

Without formality the final chapter in the war between Russia and Japan was enacted in the diplomatic room of the State Department in Washington Saturday afternoon, when at 4:05 o'clock Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador, and Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, on behalf of their respective sovereigns, exchanged ratifications of the treaty of Portsmouth, which was signed September 5, last.

Four men, all colored, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the office building of a kindling-wood yard at 302 K street northwest, Washington, shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday morning. The building in which the men were burned was a two-story structure, and it is supposed the men were asleep on the second floor. A fifth man jumped from a second-story window, breaking his leg, but escaped the fate of the others.

A meeting was held in Philadelphia a few days ago by the anthracite coal operators. They decided to fight the demands which will undoubtedly be made by the United Mineworkers of America. This includes recognition of the union, eight-hour workday and a minimum wage-rate for day labor. It is stated that in the event of an anthracite miners' strike the bituminous operators may be drawn into a plan for a general shutdown.

The woman who attempted suicide in Farragut Square, Washington, on Saturday morning, by shooting herself, as stated in the Gazette of that day confessed that she is Mrs. V. Grissom, and that her home is in the town of Spray, N. C., about twenty miles from Danville. Family troubles, the police suspect, prompted the act. Mrs. Grissom is the secretary and treasurer of the Leaksville Woolen Mills, near Spray, N. C. Grissom married his wife out West eleven years ago, coming back to North Carolina. Three years ago, on account of incompatibility of temperament, they separated. The physicians at the Emergency Hospital now entertain some hope for the recovery of Mrs. Velma Grissom. Robert Grissom, the husband, reached Washington this morning and had a lengthy conversation with his wife. He refused to discuss the matter of a reconciliation.

Virginia News.

Dr. Peter William Miller, of Winchester, died Saturday of Bright's disease, aged 53 years.

A large new barn on the farm of J. H. Dunlap, in Frederick county, was destroyed by fire Friday.

William Gallahan, aged 84 years, died Saturday at the home of his son, Samuel Gallahan, in Stafford county.

E. R. Conner, of Manassas, was seriously injured Saturday evening by being thrown by a horse into a barbed wire fence.

After being arrested in Roanoke, Frank Smith, once a socialist candidate for Congress, yesterday cut the main artery in his leg.

S Bailey, a well-known and popular traveling salesman of Tidewater, died at his home, at Kinsale, Westmoreland county, Friday night, aged 53 years.

Isaac N. Lake, a prominent farmer and Confederate soldier, died at his home, near the Fauquier White Sulphur Springs, Friday, aged seventy-two years.

Fifty box stalls recently erected by the Horse and Colt Show Association of Loudoun county were destroyed Friday night by fire. The grounds of the association are located about one mile from Leesburg. The loss is about $800.

Bishop A. Van de Vyver issued peremptory instructions yesterday to the priests of the Virginia diocese, prohibiting the performing of the marriage ceremony after 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The bishop's decree was read yesterday in every church of the diocese, which comprises the State of Virginia and part of West Virginia. The reason given is that night marriages attract people out of mere curiosity whose bad conduct mar the ceremony.

Eighteen Persons Killed.

The most disastrous railroad wreck in Massachusetts for many years occurred at 8:15 o'clock last night at Bakers Bridge station, a mile and a half west of Lincoln, on the main line of the Fitchburg division of the Boston and Maine Railroad. The regular Sunday night express, which left Boston at 7:45 o'clock for Montreal via the Rutland system, crashed into the rear of a local train, which started from Boston at 7:15 o'clock for points on the main line and the Marlboro branch.

At least eighteen persons were killed outright, burned to death or suffocated, and thirty or more were seriously injured. Many passengers sustained minor cuts, bruises and burns.

The wreck was primarily due to thick weather, which apparently obscured signals set by the forward train, which at the time of the disaster was standing in front of Bakers Bridge station.

The Montreal train, drawn by two locomotives and consisting also of nine cars, crashed into the rear of the Marlboro Branch local, demolishing the two rear cars. All of the passengers killed and seriously injured were in these cars. None of the passengers on the Montreal train were seriously hurt, but the engineer and fireman of the leading locomotive were killed. The wreckage caught fire and some of the passengers were incinerated.

From information at hand the engineer of the first engine drawing the express ran by a block signal which had been set at danger by the Marlboro train. The Waltham station was turned into a temporary hospital until a train could be made up to take the dead and injured to Boston.

The wrecking crews worked all night on the wreck extricating the dead and injured. The scene of the wreck was horrible. Five members of a single family met death in the accident. Most of the passengers on the local were men and women returning to their homes after having spent the day with friends. Sweethearts were killed before each other's eyes, children's lives crushed out while parents looked on in anguish.

The V. M. I. Affairs.

A crisis in the situation at the Virginia Military Institute was reached Saturday afternoon when twelve of the thirteen oath-bound cadets cut inspection by remaining up town, their object in this breach of discipline being to force the issue of their expulsion. Shortly after inspection the twelve cadets returned to barracks and were immediately put under arrest. It is believed their expulsion will follow. This was their purpose in violating the regulations.

One of the thirteen Saturday tendered his resignation after complying with the requirements of the Board of Visitors by expressing his regrets for insubordination in threatening to leave the school unless the mess hall fare was improved. The twelve remaining it is said, have been anxious to save their classmates as far as possible from the extreme penalty brought about by the pledge of the few to refuse all propositions of receding from the stand they took when they at first declined to apologize for what the Board of Visitors considered a flagent breech of discipline- The "oath-bound thirteen" have remained firm and unyielding.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Alexandria, Va., postoffice up to November 25, 1905:

Bryant, Johny	Laurence, T N
Buckner, Annie	Monroe, R S
Carter, A S	Perry, A
Compton, Donna	Powell, Jennie
Fletcher, C W	McDurell Pyle & Co
Ferguson, Robert	Payne, Paul
Gray, Emma	Roe, Biddie
Grove, George	Reed, Caadocher
Gaines, J H	Stewart, Sarah
Hollands, Joseph	Sloper, Walter
Haines, B	Taylor, John R
Haines, Lewis	Wheler, Mrs
Jones, I M	Waring, G W
Lyell, Fannie M	Ward, J R
Lucken, Geo.	Weeks, W F
Worsham, Milton R	

JOSEPH L. CRUPPER, P. M.

Today's Telegraphic News

The Revolt of Russia.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—Advices received here this morning from Sevastopol the scene of the mutiny on the part of sailors of the Black Sea fleet, who were joined by many soldiers from the garrison, says that the city is quiet and the authorities have gained the upper hand.

Paris, Nov. 27.—A British agent at Sevastopol, Russia, has cabled for help saying that life and property are no longer safe in the city.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—Advices received today from Vladivostok state that a serious outbreak occurred among the soldiers there yesterday. A number of the soldiers mutinied and killed three of their officers and wounded another. Seven of the ringleaders of the mutiny and forty others have been placed under arrest.

Today's news in regard to an outbreak among the soldiers of the Manchurian army shows the situation to be serious. The soldiers are demanding that they shall be sent home immediately and they threaten to kill their officers unless their demand is granted.

The soldiers have received full information in regard to recent happenings in Russia, and are in a revolutionary mood. Thousands of revolutionary pamphlets have been circulated among the troops and many subordinate officers have taken the side of the revolutionists and are urging the men to revolt. The situation is extremely grave.

The authorities in St. Petersburg do not know how to meet the situation, which has thus arisen. They fear to bring the soldiers home and are afraid, on the other hand, that if they do not do so there will be a general revolt in the army.

Odessa, Nov. 27.—The crews of all the vessels comprising the Black Sea fleet have expressed their sympathy with the Sevastopol mutineers who are still masters of the situation.

Odessa, Nov. 27, 5 p. m.—The latest advices from Sevastopol state that the forts trained their guns in a demonstrating manner upon the mutineers and the commander sent a warning that he would fire on the crowd and the barracks unless the mutineers surrendered. Quiet followed immediately, and the troops now hold the town in order.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—Eight thousand of the unemployed have left for the interior to try and induce the peasants to join in a general uprising.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—A telegram from Odessa contains the alarming rumor that the mutineers of the Black Ses fleet intend to sail for Odessa and take possession of the town.

Trial of Anarchists.

Paris, Nov. 27.—The trial of the anarchists accused of complicity in the attempt to assassinate King Alfonso of Spain, on the night of May 31, when a bomb was thrown at the young king, while he was riding with President Loubet in this city, began today. The charge of throwing the bomb is still laid to the mysterious Spanish anarchist Farras, who has never been caught. Four others are accused of complicity in the plot against the Spanish ruler, and all appeared in court. The prisoners are Charles Malato, the Spanish journalist, the Spaniard Vallina, who was found to have bombs in his possession; Malato's janitor, a man named Caussanel, and an Englishman named Harvey. All the men acknowledged that they hold anarchistic opinions but deny that they belong to the fighting variety of "Reds," Vallina is the only one who admits any part of the charges made against him. He acknowledged that he had bombs in his possession, but declares that they were not intended to be used against Alfonso.

Reported Resignations.

New York, Nov. 27.—Unofficial announcement was made today that Richard A. McCurdy, President of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, has placed his resignation in the hands of the trustees of the company, and that it will be accepted as soon as his successor shall be found. A tentative offer, according to report, to head the company, was made to James B. Forgan, President of the First National Bank of Chicago, who once was an Equitable director. Mr. Forgan declined to consider the offer, it is said. It is also unofficially announced that President McCurdy's son, Robert H. McCurdy, general manager of the Mutual, and his son-in-law, Louis A. Thebaud, the favored general agent for New York, have also resigned. Each of these three men had been drawing approximately $150,000 a year in salaries.

Race Suicide.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 27.—Rev. Father F. H. Sinclair, rector of Saints Peter and Paul's Roman Catholic church, who caused a sensation a week ago, by draping the baptismal font in his church, in mourning, as a protest against race suicide, discussed the question again yesterday at the several services. He asserted that willful failure to bring children into the world, was, in the sight of God, equivalent to murder and would be punished by the imposition of penalty as severe as for murder.

Gunne Accidentally Killed.

Bethlehem, Pa., Nov. 27.—While out hunting with a companion, early today, Harry Kressler aged 18, of Hellertown, leaned his gun against a pile of wood for a moment until he had routed out a rabbit that had taken refuge under the pile. In some manner, a piece of wood is supposed to have jolted against the gun and it was accidentally discharged. The full force of two barrels of shot struck Kressler in the stomach, instantly killing him,

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

From Napier, New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that they declared were entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. When taken in time it prevents pneumonia. This remedy is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Market.

Georgetown, Nov. 27.—Wheat 70@80.

The Meriwether Court Martial.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 27.—The Meriwether court martial opened shortly after 10 o'clock this morning. Lieut. Commander Robinson, Meriwether's counsel, called Midshipman Hugo W. Taylor, fourth class, who testified that the clothes found in Meriwether's room belonged to him. The fourth classman said that he had loaned the civilian suit to Meriwether. Taylor said that Midshipman Branch, after finding the suit, asked witness if he had any citizens clothing in Bancroft Hall, and upon receiving an affirmative reply told Taylor: "He had better get a hustle on and recover them."

Taylor went to Meriwether's room and made a search but was unable to find the suit. He returned twice to Branch for directions but Branch only said that if he would hunt hard enough he would find the clothes. Taylor finally reached the suit case well hidden away in the wardrobe.

"Was it not a kindly act on Branch's part to tell you to get the suit?" asked District Attorney Rose.

"Yes, otherwise they would have confiscated," answered Taylor.

Captain Marix, Judge Advocate, objected to testimony establishing Branch's grudge against Meriwether unless it was shown that the latter had knowledge of Branch's acts. After conference, Admiral Ramsey announced that the court would receive testimony tending to establish Branch's animosity provided Meriwether had knowledge of the facts before the fight.

The court called Midshipman Willis W. Bradley, second class, who testified that Meriwether asked him what he would do about Branch's conduct in inspecting his room.

"I told him," said Bradley, "that so long as Branch was on duty, I would do nothing, but afterward, I would tell Branch what I thought of him. Meriwether said that was what he intended. I went on duty the day following and Branch said to me, We have one common object, and that is to stick that man Meriwether on the "happy report.' I asked Branch why, and he answered that everybody hated Meriwetber."

Dr. T. W. Glazebrook, coroner's surgeon for the District of Columbia, was present at this morning's session. He is an expert on autopsy and was present at yesterday's examination of Branch's body.

Indications point to a surgeon's report of the autopsy on the body of Branch that will be favorable to the contention of the defense that death was caused by internal organic troubles resulting in an embolism of the brain.

Mrs. Rogers to Hang.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The Supreme Court of the United States today declined to save Mary Mabel Rogers, the Vermont murderess, from the gallows. The District court of the United States for the District of Vermont, which denied her application for a writ of habeas corpus, was sustained in that decision, and Mrs. Rogers' appeal was dismissed. As far as the Supreme Court of the United States is concerned the woman will have to hang December 8, the date set.

Change for the Worse.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—A marked change for the worse in the condition of Marshall Field, jr., was reported at Mercy Hospital today. It was said Field's strength was failing, his temperature had increased to two-tenths of a degree above normal and his pulse was rapidly increasing. At 12:20 o'clock, the Field family was at the bedside, the physicians stating the probabilities are that the wounded man would not live three hours.

The Sultan May Yield.

Paris, Nov. 28.—Advices received in diplomatic circles today indicate that the Sultan will yield to the demands of the powers for international control of the finances of Macedonia tomorrow. The Turkish ruler still objects to the word "control," in the demand made upon him.

Suicide of a Norfolk Physician.

Suffolk, Va., Nov. 27.—Dr. Edward D. Phillips, a prominent physician of Norfolk, committed suicide this morning by taking morphine. He was 59 years old, and was a surgeon in the Confederate army. According to his expressed intention Dr. Phillips, who had a throat affection, preferred a speedy end rather than prolong death by suffocation.

A Recount Ordered.

New York, Nov. 27.—Judge Amend, after hearing long arguments by former Judge Parker, Mr. Knox, and others today against the opening of the ballot boxes in five certain districts and the recount of the ballots, granted the motion of the counsel of Wm. R. Hearst for the opening and recount of the ballots.

King Haakon.

Christiania, Nov. 27.—King Haakon appeared in the Shorthing today and took oath to uphold the constitution of Norway. The Queen, Prince Henry of Prussia, several ambassadors and ministers were present to witness the ceremony. After taking the oath the King delivered a speech, in which he spoke at length of his devotion to the interests of Norway. Great crowds assembled in the vicinity of the state house and the King and Queen were warmly greeted

New York Stock Market.

New York, Nov. 27.—The stock market during the first hour was exceedingly strong with the movements of prices held in absolute control by those most concerned. The general disposition was to force sharp upward movements. There were excited openings in a number of different stocks at sharp advances. The inspiration of the buying was apparently the splendid bank statement of Saturday.

Football.

The football games of Saturday closed the season for many of the college elevens. The following are the results of the principal games:

At Cambridge—Yale, 6; Harvard, 0.

At New York—Pennsylvania, 23; Columbia, 0.

At West Point—West Point, 17; Syracuse, 0.

At Annapolis—Navy, 12; Virginia, 6.

At Washington—Georgetown, 12; George Washington, 6.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

It is reported that Little Danbury a cottage town on Fairfield Beach, Conn., is burning up. Many cottages are already destroyed.

The terrific gale which prevailed yesterday and last night, did great damage in England and in portions of western Europe. Considerable damage has been done to shipping. Several piers at English channel ports were broken, houses were unroofed and trees were uprooted. A number of vessels were driven ashore. No loss of life in the channel has been reported. The steamer Paridot, of the Glasgow line, is reported wrecked on the coast of Antrim and eight bodies have been recovered.

Mary Jane Harris, a negress, 101 years old, died at New Rochelle, N. Y., yesterday. She had been in good health until last week. She was born in Georgetown, D. C.

Jennie Allegro, 18, Stephen Roctana, 9, and Domico Rotana, 6, were fatally burned at Connellsville, Pa., today in a fire which destroyed the home of Cesaere Rotuna.

The old established firm of Cobbel and Rouvie at Liverpool, today announced its inability to meet its engagements in the week's settlements.

The report that the English battleship King Edward VII. had foundered off Gibraltar is untrue. The warship is safely anchored in the harbor.

Hundreds of windows in buildings were broken by a hurricane which swept over Brussels last night, and a great deal of other damage was done.

Three men were killed and two injured in a collision of freight trains near the crossing west of the station, at South Waterboro, Me., yesterday.

Killed His Uncle.

Lester Ruffner shot and instantly killed his uncle, Isaac P. Ruffner, at the home of the former, seven miles north of Luray, yesterday morning. The tragedy was the outcome of an old grudge between the Ruffner families. Lester Ruffner, in company with Peter Abbott, Wilmer Kibler and a young man by the name of Keiler, were fox hunting on the former's place, when Isaac Ruffner and his son, David, came on the scene and wanted to join their dogs in the chase. To this, it is alleged, Lester Ruffner objected, and at the same time ordered his uncle and the latter's son off of the premises.

Isaac Ruffner became indignant and said he would hunt where he "damned please," regardless of the orders of his nephew. David Ruffner and Lester Ruffner engaged in a scuffle, and the latter declares that while he was holding David Ruffner at bay and trying to keep him from shooting, Isaac Ruffner was cocking his gun and making ready to shoot.

Lester Ruffner says his gun was resting on his left arm, and with his right arm he was holding back David Ruffner. Seeing Isaac Ruffner was ready to fire, he pulled the trigger, and the entire load of buckshot took effect in his uncle's body from the face to the abdomen, killing him instantly. Lester then says he shot at David, although he does not think he hit him.

Not knowing Isaac Ruffner was dead, the man who did the shooting crawled behind a log, saying he expected to be riddled with shot. Later he went to his home and telephoned the sheriff and gave himself up.

The dead man was about fifty years of age, and leaves a widow and seven children. The man who did the shooting is not more than twenty-seven years of ago and has a wife and two children, his wife being a daughter of Noah Fox, who was murdered at the distillery of John D. Ruffner, father of Lester Ruffner, who died two years ago. The Ruffners have been having trouble for several years, a brother of the man who did the shooting and the dead man having had an encounter Saturday.

Cleared for Action

When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's New Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheeks; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind. Try them. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, 25 cents.

Every Ounce You Eat.

Every ounce of food you eat that fails to digest does a pound of harm. It turns the entire meal into poison. This not only deprives the blood of the necessary tissue-building material, but it poisons it. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a perfect digestant. It digests the food regardless of the condition of the stomach. It allows that organ to rest and get strong again. Relieves Belching, Heart Burn, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Palpitation of the Heart, etc. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Army and Navy Revolt.

Russian army and navy authorities are losing control of their men and revolts at Sebastopol and Vladivostok are spreading. Mutinous soldiers at Vladivostok yesterday killed two of their officers and wounded five others.

The rebellious sailors at Sebastopol number 4,000, and it is doubted if the men on the ships in the harbor can be restrained from joining the revolutionists.

Another regiment of troops at Sebastopol cheered the mutineers and is likely to join the other rebellious soldiers.

The authorities now have little confidence in even the St. Petersburg garrison, as it is apparent that the social revolutionary leaders are winning over the armed forces of the empire to their cause.

Premier Witte and his ministers are perplexed over the increasing peril of the government and rumors of a dictatorship are revived.

General Nepluefl, commander of the Sebastopol fortress, is a captive.

Student Expelled; Pastor to Resign.

A sensation was stirred up at Shenandoah Valley Academy, of Winchester, Saturday, because of the expulsion of Irvin McCarty, a young man of Buffalo, N. Y., who became involved in a personal encounter with Professor Raymond White, a member of the faculty, whose whose home is at Albany, N. Y. The trouble arose over the circulation of hand bills announcing that Professor White would declaim before the Sigma Rho Delta Society. A large number of students also issued circulars referring to Professor White as a "Peeping Lizzie," which was the actual cause of the trouble. The proposed debate was refused by Principal James B. Lovet. It is currently reported that Professor White will resign.

DIED.

On Saturday November 25th, 1905, at 4:05 p m., Mrs. LEONORA I. LAMBERT, wife of Mr. B. H. Lambert. Funeral from her late residence, No. 314 Duke street, Tuesday morning, November 28th, at 10 o'clock. Friends of family are invited. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

Departed this life November 25th at 9:45 o'clock p. m. HIRAM A. WOOD, aged 75 years. The funeral took place from his late residence, 104 south Pitt street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Alexandria Gazette.
MONDAY EVENING, NOV. 27, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:56 a. m. and sets at 4:40 p. m. High water at 8:34 a. m. and 8:53 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight. Tuesday increasing cloudiness and warmer, followed by rain at night; light northwesterly winds, becoming easterly.

Killed by Officers.

A colored man named James Richardson was shot and instantly killed shortly after 12 o'clock today by Officers Henderson, Garvey and Mayhugh, a few yards north of the bridge over the electric railway near Spring Park. The circumstances in connection with the shooting are substantially as follows: About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon a colored man named Ed. Jones was held up near the scene of the shooting by three colored men and robbed of $7, a knife and other articles. He reported the matter to the station house and this morning Officers Henderson, Mayhugh, Bell, Lyles ond Garvey started with Jones in search of the highwaymen.

They went a short distance west of this city, but failing to find the objects of their search returned to the new union depot and proceeded north along the line of the Washington-Southern Railroad. They encountered three negroes a short distance north of the crossing of steam and the electric railway, and a pistol which protruded from the pocket of James Richardson, one of the trio, caused the officers to halt them. One of the negroes (Charles Twyman) was identified by Jones as one of the men who aided in holding him up and whom he charged with taking his knife. He was taken to the station house by Officer Lyles and another, Russell Butcher, who had a pistol on his person, surrendered and was taken in charge by Officer Bell.

James Richardson, however, refused to go with the officers and drawing his pistol attempted in vain to kill Officer Henderson, who had grappled with him. The officer succeeded in knocking the weapon up and keeping the balls from striking him, the only injury he received being a slight wound on one of his hands. Richardson finally broke away from the officer and ran, but again discharged his pistol at Officer Henderson. The latter and his fellow-officers had in the meantime drawn their pistols and they proceeded to empty them into the negro's body and he soon fell and expired immediately.

The county authorities were notified and they will doubtless proceed to hold an inquest. The officers had a Commonwealth's warrant for the arrest of the footpads and the shooting was within the mile jurisdiction.

This is the second negro who has been killed in the same neighborhood during the past few weeks while resisting and shooting at officers.

The officers who did the shooting subsequently surrendered themselves at the police headquarters and were released by Justsce Caton on their own recognizance to appear when wanted.

Later the body of Richardson was taken in charge by Mr. Demaine and brought to his undertaking establishment in this city.

At 3:30 o'clock Dr. Purvis, the city coroner, had not decided whether he or the county coroner would hold an inquest.

Deaths.

Mrs. Leonora I. Lambert, wife of Mr. B. H. Lambert, died at her home on Duke street, near Royal, at 4 o'clock last Saturday afternoon. The deceased had been a sufferer from heart trouble during the past seven months. She was in the 60th year of her age. Mrs. Lambert was a daughter of Mr. J. B. and Mrs. Mary Balsley, of Greensboro, N. C. She leaves two children—Mr. Urban S. Lambert and Miss Irene S. Lambert. The deceased had been a consistent member of St. Paul's Church for many years, and had many warm friends in this city who sincerely regret her death and sympathize with the stricken members of her household. Mrs. Lambert had been married 38 years. She leaves three brothers—Dr. T. E. Balsley and Mr. Chas. T. Balsley, of Reidsville N. C., and Wm. G. Balsley, of Greensboro. The deceased spent three months this summer at a health resort in North Carolina in hopes of regaining her health.

Mrs. Frances P. Smoot, widow of Josiah H. D. Smoot, died at her residence on Prince street, between St. Asaph and Washington, at 11:15 o'clock this morning. The deceased had recently been critically ill. Mrs. Smoot was a daughter of Captain Guy D. and Mrs. Ariminta Chapman French, and was born in Pearisburg, Giles county, Va., 71 years ago. She leaves three daughters and five grandchildren. The deceased was an old and well-known resident, and was esteemed by all her many friends and acquaintances.

Mr. Hiram A. Wood, an old and well-known resident, died Saturday night at his home, 204 south Pitt street, of congestion of the lungs. He was a native of Carolina county, Va., and was seventy-five years of age. The deceased was a machinist by occupation, and for a long time had been an employee at the Washington navy yard. He leaves a widow and several children. Mr. Wood enjoyed an extensive circle of friends and acquaintances, all of whom will be grieved to hear of his death. The funeral took place this afternoon, Rev. Dr. Fisher officiating. A number of friends and relatives of the deceased attended.

Held Up.

Mr. Wade Goodwin, of Manassas, who is making arrangements to engage in business in Alexandria, lost his overcoat, containing money and a license, near Spring Park, a short distance this side of the new union depot Saturday night. Mr. Goodwin was walking along with his overcoat on his arm when a negro seized the garment and made good his escape.

Ed. Jones, colored, while in the vicinity of Spring Park about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon was accosted by three negroes who ordered him to hold up his hands. They then searched his pockets, taking from them about $7. The footpads then departed and were soon out of sight behind the railroad embankment.

Within the past week the U. S. Fish Commission has liberated several million young shad in the upper Potomac river from its ponds and hatchery in Washington.

Burglaries.

George Dove, who is said to live near this city, was captured in the residence of Andrew O., Ernest, Frank H, and Oliver A. Zell, 1303 King street, about 4 o'clock yesterday morning. Dove had forced an entrance into the house presumably for the purpose of robbery, but in the darkness he stumbled over a chair. The noise aroused the family, and, as stated above, the inmates secured the intruder. They turned him over to Officer Lyles. Dove was arraigned in the Police Court this morning and sent on to the grand jury.

A negro burglar was discovered last night in the residence of Mr. Smith Beckett, who lives on north Columbus street. The intruder when he saw that his presence was known drew a pistol and threatened to use it should Mr. Beckett come near him. After taking a watch and other things within reach, the negro left the house. The police were later notified of the occurrence and Officers Roberts and Young went to the house. Officer Young started out on a search this morning for the intruder and later accosted a colored man in the extreme northern portion of the city who gave his name as Hannibal Lewis. The latter answered closely to the description given of the burglar by Mr. Beckett. The officer searched him, but found none of the missing articles on him. Mr. Beckett was unable to positively identify Lewis and he was dismissed.

Mrs. Gerrrude Jett, who lives at No. 114 north Fasrfax street, has reported to the station house than an automobile coat, a gentleman's overcoat and a lady's silk skirt were stolen from her home on Saturday night last.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Isaac Smith, colored, arrested by Officer Nicholson charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

George Dove, arrested by Officer Lyles charged with breaking into and entering a dwelling in the night, was sent on to court.

Edward and Walter Bryant, both colored, arrested by Officers Bell and Mayhugh charged with disorderly conduct, were dismissed.

James Dowie, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Bank at Herndon.

The Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation has sent out notices that the Herndon branch of that institution will open its doors for business on Friday, December 1. The president, C. J. Rixey; the vice president John P. Robinson, and one of the directors from the home office in Alexandria will be present, and the officers of the local branch will then be installed. The building leased for the Herndon Bank has been made very attractive, but before the end of the year 1906, it is stated, a new bank building will be constructed.

The Fun That's in Magic.

No end of funny stories and incidents come out of the entertainments of these royal illusionists, Mildred and Rouclere. At every performance there's something doing in the audience, somebody being fooled so cleverly and giving expression to surprise so quaintly that new mines of amusement are being continuously opened and the brilliant show is the talk of the town for many a day after its departure. Mildred and Rouclere are booked at the Opera House for Thursday matinee and at night.

Donation Day.

The board of managers of the Alexandria Hospital remind the people of the city and county that Thursday next, Thanksgiving Day, is Donation Day for the hospital and earnestly ask gifts of money, groceries, produce, linen, rugs, rockers, kitchen untensils, &c. They say: "There is no need to beg the citizens of Alexandria for donations. We only call their attention to our wants. They will respond liberally too, as they have always done, we are fully assured."

Handsome Calendar.

The Portner Brewing Company is out early with its usual handsome calendar. The subject, from a printed description thereon, is a very fine lithographic reproduction of the Asti masterpiece, "Modesty," and it is certainly an exceptionally beautiful piece of color work. While it is a departure from accepted standards of calendar designs, the purity of the subject is unquestioned.

Property Sales.

To settle the estate of the late Mrs. Hattie V. Creighton, Mr. J. Harvey Creighton and Miss Hattie V. Creighton have sold to Mr. F. C. Creighton the building at the northwest corner of King and Royal streets, and Messrs. J. H. and F. C. Creighton have sold to Miss Hattie V. Creighton a house and lot on the west side of Pitt street, between Duke and Wolfe.

Lecture Tomorrow Night.

Rev. E. Hez Swem will deliver a lecture at the Opera House tomorrow night. The lecture will be humorous, original and entertaining, and all who attend are assured an evening's enjoyment. Mr. Swem's reputation as a lecturer is long-standing. His subject will be: "Are Men Really Lovers, or Do Men Love Women."

Found the Money.

Mr. Wm. Taylor reported to Lieut. Smith a day or two ago that his little boy lost $20 on his way to one of the banks in this city. The lieutenant sent Officer Sherwood to one of the colored schools and the officer ascertained that a colored boy had the money. He secured it and returned the same to Mr. Taylor.

Discharged.

The colored man named Young who was arrested on Friday night last charged with being connected with the supposed murder of Frank M. DeLane in the county several nights ago, was given a hearing before Justice Birrell in the county on Saturday and discharged, there being no evidence against him.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Temperance Meeting.

The temperance rally in the Baptist Church yesterday afternoon was a decided success in every particular. Perseverance Tent, No. 1098, assembled in Sarepta Hall at 2:30 p. m. at which time a special train on the electric railway arrived at the door and over 100 Rechabites from Washington disembarked. A procession was formed (each member wearing the badge of his or her tent) with the officers of the High Tent in the lead, marshaled by High Tent Chief Ruler W. W. Cordell and Chief Ruler W. L. Griffin, of Perseverance Tent.

The W. C. T. U. and Rescue Lodge, I. O. G. T., of this city, and Pioneer Lodge, I. O. G. T., of Falls Church, also formed a part of the procession which marched to the Baptist Church, where promptly at 3:15 o'clock the meeting was called to order by W. L. Griffin, C. R., who introduced W. W. Cordell H. T. C. R., as presiding officer of the meeting. The following programme was subsequently rendered:

Anthem by choir, M. E. Church South; opening ode of the order, congregation; prayer, L. D. Lyles; scripture reading, Jeremiah 35th chap, Mrs. F. Carey, of the Allison W. C. T. U.; ode, "Welcome," congregation; address, Rev. R. E. Richardson, secy. Anti-Saloon League of Richmond, Va. (illustrated); selection, solo, "I'm a Pilgrim," Miss M. Vierkorn; address, Mr. James C. Lee, of Washington, D. C.; selection, choir; prayer, Mr. Chas Pierpoint; Hymn ode No. 7, congregation; address, Rev. Dr. W. F. Fisher, of this city; solo, Mrs. T. A. Hulfish; prayer, Mr. J. J. Coulter, of Annapolis, Md.; closing ode No. 6, congregation; benediction.

A feature of the service was a collection made by four young members of the order.

It is expected that a large number of applications for membership will be presented at the meeting tonight of Perseverance Tent.

Among those present from a distance were J. J. Coulter, of Annapolis, Md.; Jno. C. Moore, P. H. C. R., of Calumet, Mich.; Wm. B. Kelly, high secretary, of Zanesville, Ohio; J. C. Ellis, P. H. C. R.; W. W. Cordell, H C. R.; Geo. W. Hawxhurst, Grand Secretary, I. O. G. T., and Revs. J. P. Stump, J. A. Jeffers, J. H. S. Ewell and Dr. Fisher, of this city. The meeting lasted two hours and is believed to have been one of the most successful meetings held in this city for years.

Threw Bottles at Woman and Officer.

Mrs. Sherwood, living on Prince street, near the river front, appeared at police headquarters about 1 o'clock yesterday morning and complained that a suspicious-looking man was loitering around the rear entrance to her house, and asked that an officer be sent to the premises. Mrs. Sherwood stated that she had ordered the man away and had threatened to shoot him, but that he had first cursed her and had then thrown an empty beer bottle at her head. Officer Roberts went with the woman and while he was searching her premises a bottle was thrown at him. The officer endeavored to find the man, but he escaped in the darkness.

Police Agents.

Upon the application of the officers of the Washington Southern Railway Company, Judge L. O Barley has appointed A. Perry and M. Stout police agents to act at and near the new railway station

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Dobie have returned from their wedding trip.

A man who conducts a saloon on north Fairfax street was arrested today charged with selling liquor without a license.

It is again rumored that a line of steamers is to be put on the route between Philadelphia, Alexandria and Washington.

Passengers who reached here from Washington about 8 o'clock this evening say that a colored man was struck and probably killed by a steam train at the south end of the Long bridge this evening.

The Gallaudet Reserves and Episcopal High School played a tie game Saturday afternoon on the grounds of the latter, the score resulting in 6 points for each side. This game marked the close of the season for the High School team.

The weather was moderately warm again yesterday, with threatening conditions during the morning. Early in the night a dense fog prevailed, and later the wind came out from the northwest bringing clear and cooler weather.

The services at the several churches yesterday were conducted according to the announcements in Saturday's Gazette, except that Rev. Dr. Micou preached in the morning at Christ Church instead of Rev. Berryman Green, who had been announced to preach at that service.

Shortly after the 1st of January, it is understood, the steamers of the Maryland, Virginia and Delaware Railway and Steamship Company, formerly the Weems Line, will land at the new wharf recently constructed by the Mutual Ice Company. The wharf will be extended farther into the river and a large warehouse and office building will be constructed over nearly its entire length.

The Robert Smith, whose name appeared in last week's paper as having stolen a pair of shoes from J. Bernheimer & Co., is in no way connected with Robert J. Smith, of south Lee street.

Several pistol shots were heard in the north western section of the city last night.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stew or raw. Free lunch—hot sausage, C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

A Liquid Cold Cure.

A Cough Syrup which drives a cold out of the system by acting as a cathartic on the bowels is offered in Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. Clears the throat, strengthens the lungs and bronchial tubes. The mother's friend and the children's favorite. Best for Croup, Whooping-Cough, etc. A liquid cold cure and the only Cough Syrup which moves the bowels and works all cold out of the system. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

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LOST.—On Shooter's Hill road a Gold LOCKET and CHAIN. Reward if returned to 1226 Prince strees. 1t*

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The Merriwether Fight.

Most of the testimony offered Saturday at Annapolis in the Merriwether trial was of a character calculated to throw more light on the "honor code," which is responsible for the fight between the two midshipmen. Several witnesses made statements regarding the knowledge possessed by many of the higher officials of the academy regarding the fist fights that have been held, who simply shrugged their shoulders and punished no one.

In explaining the "honor code" and its purposes, Midshipman Churchill Humphrey, president of the second class to which Midshipman Branch belonged, showed it was possible for brothers to be pitted against each other, though no ill feeling existed between them.

He said that if they were selected to represent their respective classes and did not fight they would be placed in conventry and snubbed by everyone. He also showed that it would be considered nothing unusual for men to settle disputes in a fight without any animosity existing between the fighters, owing to the fact that one had been selected to fight a battle for a smaller member of his class. These statements were corroborated by other midshipmen on the stand, who also showed that there was a great deal of enmity existing between Branch and Meriwether. All agreed that Branch made it very unpleasant for the accused whenever possible.

The body of Midshipman Branch was disinterred yesterday and an autopsy held by a board of naval medical officers. The body was found to be in such a condition that it was entirely possible to determine the desired points which had arisen in the course of the trial of young Meriwether. All those who took part in the examination were bound not to make the slightest disclosures as to what their findings were until they make them as evidence before the court-martial.

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Open Evenings Until Christmas.

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Wine Glasses ..... 5c and 10c each
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We are showing a lot of new decorations in fancy pieces in china, including Plates, Cups and Saucers, Salads, Olive Dishes, Spoon Trays, &c., all at very reasonable prices.

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We have a complete line of both cheap and high grade Dinner Sets.
100 piece Sets, decorated in blue or green, at $8.49
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Table Linens

72-inch extra fine quality Silver-bleached, Embossed-finish German Damask, in pattern cloths and piece goods. Reduced for this sale to, per yard..... $1.00
With 8 Napkins to match, at, per dozen..... $2.00
With 24-inch Napkins to match, at, per dozen..... $3.00
72-inch fine quality Undressed Bleached German Damask, 89c quality. Reduced to yard..... 75c
66-inch extra fine quality Irish Satin Damask. Reduced to, per yard..... 75c
72-inch fine quality Bleached Irish Satin Damask. Special price, per yard..... $1.00
With 20-inch Napkins to match, dozen..... $2.25
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Thanksgiving Coal

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Subject: "Do Men Love Women, or Are Men Really Lovers."
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"The Flight of Princess Iris"
Supported by a Powerful Cast, Interspersed with specialties of the Highest Order.
Strictly Refined and Up-to-date in Every Respect.
PRICES:
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100 Cases
New York State
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5 Barrels
Cape Cod Cranberries.
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MONDAY EVENING, NOV. 27, 1905.

Antiquity of Soap.

The origin of soap is a mystery, but we have many evidences of its antiquity. It is mentioned at least twice in the Bible under the name of borith at a period corresponding to several centuries before Christ. In the Louvre in Paris there is an interesting old vase of Etruscan manufacture whose age is computed at about 2,500 years. It is interesting in connection with our subject as bearing a group of children in relief who are engaged in blowing bubbles from pipes. Though we must not overlook the fact that certain vegetable juices are capable of being used in blowing bubbles, it is for many reasons more probable that soap of artificial manufacture was employed for the purpose. In the unearthed city of Pompeii, the preservation of which has been the means of revealing to us many antique customs, there is to be seen a soap manufactory, with all the kettles and other paraphernalia pertaining to the business; also a quantity of soap, evidently the product of this antique "soapery." The memorable volcanic eruption, while removing a city from the face of the earth, preserved to us the evidences of a high civilization.

A Kind Voice.

There is no power of love so hard to get and to keep as a kind voice. A kind hand is deaf and dumb. It may be rough in flesh and blood, yet do the work of a soft heart and do it with a soft touch. But there is no one thing that love so much needs as a sweet voice to tell what it means and feels, and it is hard to get and keep it in the right tone. One must start in youth and be on the watch night and day, at work and at play, to get and keep a voice that shall speak at all times the thoughts of a kind heart. It is often in youth that one gets a voice or a tone that is sharp, and it sticks to him through life and stirs up ill will and grief and falls like a drop of gall on the sweets of home. Watch it day by day as a pearl of great price, for it will be worth more to you in days to come than the best pearl hid in the seas. A kind voice is to the heart what light is to the eye. It is a light that sings as well as shines.—Elihu Burritt.

Students Must Have High Ideals.

Whatever the student's bent, whatever his ultimate intention in the way of practice may be, the same simple rules will hold good. He must be earnest in his desire to learn, and he must never be contented with partially understanding. He must be methodical, working according to a plan and ready to sacrifice his personal pleasures and comforts to carry out that plan. And he must keep before him a high ideal of his professional duties, ever remembering that his mission is to prevent disease and heal the sick. He has joined an altruistic profession, one where the rewards are often incommensurate altogether with the labors, but one where his power of doing good if thoroughly and intelligently exerted will be greater than it would be in any other walk of life.—London Lancet.

Zangwill's Revenge.

While yet an obscure writer Israel Zangwill submitted to an American magazine a poem, which he received back in due course with the customary slip expressing the editor's great sorrow at his inability to make use of the contribution.

The manuscript found its way into a pigeonhole, to be resurrected some time later when fame had found him out. The poem was sold to the same magazine to which it had originally been sent, but this time the editor cabled a request to the author and paid a fancy price for it.

Experimented With Poisons.

When Antony and Cleopatra were contemplating suicide they made a collection of a great variety of poisons and tried each of them on two or more slaves in order to ascertain whether death was accompanied with much apparent suffering. One historian declares that over 200 persons lost their lives in order that the information might be obtained. The result was that Antony killed himself with a dagger and Cleopatra either with one of her selected poisons or by a serpent's bite.

When Man Wooes.

The average man wooes for choice a humming bird of the most gorgeous plumage. The man's taste is perfectly understandable. The mistake comes later. When he has secured his bird he carries it home and expects to find in the cage a demure little canary possessed of every staid, domestic and canarylike attribute.—London Queen.

Repartee.

Mrs. Jawback—Get right away from here, you nasty tramp, or I'll call my husband! Oliver Mudd—G'wan! Yer husband ain't to home. Mrs. Jawback—How do you know? Oliver Mudd—Husbands of women like you never are to home 'cept for meals.—Cleveland Leader.

Under the Padding.

Nell—Miss Fit-Menny says that 75 per cent of the fashionable women are not as shapely as they sometimes appear. Belle—How does she get that information down so fine? Nell—Being a dressmaker, she gets at the inside figure.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Long Time Waiting.

Guest—I say, my man, how long have you been a waiter in this cafe? Waiter—About six months, sir. Guest—Oh, then it can't be you that I gave my order to!—Exchange.

Getting Even.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Important Changes in Schedule at Alexandria and in Train Numbers, Washington-Southern Railway, Effective Sunday, November 26th.

Train 82 (now No. 32) will stop only to discharge passengers.

Train 84 (now No. 34) will leave 9:51 a. m. daily.

Train 14 (now No. 406) will leave 2.53 p. m., except Sunday.

Train 22 (now No. 404) will leave 7:07 p. m. daily.

Train 66 will leave 8:18 p. m. daily.

Train 80 (now No. 40) will leave 11:33 p. m. daily.

Following is a list of trains at present and the numbers as they will be known commencing November 26th:

Old Number.	Northward.	New Number.
32	A. C. L. Florida and West Indian Ltd.	82
400	Quantico and Washington accommo'n.	2
34	Seaboard Express.	84
402	From Richmond and local stations.	10
406	From Richmond and principal stations	14
404	Quantico and Washington accommo'n.	22
66	Seaboard Mail.	66
40	A. C. L. Express.	80
	Southward.	
39	A. C. L. Express.	89
409	For Richmond and local stations.	9
407	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	11
43	Seaboard Mail.	43
35	A. C. L. Florida and West Indian Ltd.	85
401	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	19
403	For Richmond and local stations.	23
31	Seaboard Express.	81
405	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	27

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SATURDAY,
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nov15 td

MEETINGS.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the stockholders of the SEMMES-KELLEY COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on FRIDAY, December 15, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and directors and the transaction of any other business that may be presented to the stockholders

EDWARD J. KELLEY, Secretary.
no10 30t

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS for the ensuing year by the stockholders of THE STANDARD BRICK COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, room 2, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., MONDAY, December 11, 1905. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m., in pursuance of bylaws of said company.

By order of the President.

T. L. HOLBROOK.

Attest: HENRY P. WEST, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON FERTILIZER CO., for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come up, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., at 11 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, December 13th, 1905.

JOHN F. WILKINS, President.
LOUIS BEYER, JR., Secretary.
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PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the City Engineer and Committee on Streets until 12 o'clock m., MONDAY, December 4, 1905, stating the charge per hour between the hours of 8 a. m. and 11 p. m. for two horses and a driver to operate a Street Sprinkler and Sweeper, which will be furnished by the city, and to remove sweepings from the vitrified brick pavements; also stating charge per hour when used on streets paved with cobblestones. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

E. S. LEADBEATER,
Chairman Committee on Streets.
no22 td

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., November 22, 1905.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Wednesday, December 6, 1905, for grading and resurfacing the road between Fort Myer Drill Ground and the Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia. Specifications and information can be obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grading and Resurfacing Road," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.
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N. B.—Objectionable characters positively excluded. no13 td

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 17th day of November, 1905.

Minnie Payne vs. Wilber Payne } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Wilber Payne, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE.
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q.
no17 w4w-f

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 22nd day of November, 1905.

Fred. L. Wagar vs. Anna Thomas Marbury, Eliza Hunter Marbury, Alice V. Browning, Francis F. Marbury, Mary Marbury Taylor, William H. Marbury and Leonard Marbury, the two last named being infants under fourteen years, of Leonard Marbury, deceased. In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the specific performance of a certain contract dated May 6th, 1905, entered into by the defendants, Anna Thomas Marbury, Eliza Hunter Marbury, Alice V. Browning, Francis F. Marbury and Mary Marbury Taylor, with the complainant, for the sale of all that certain lot or parcel of ground with the improvements thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the north side of Prince street, between Royal and Pitt streets, and designated and numbered 413 and 415 Prince street.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Alice V. Browing, William H. Marbury and Leonard Marbury, are none-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY D. C.
John M. Johnson and J. R. and H. B. Caton p. q. nov24 w4w-f

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 24th day of November, 1905.

John Henry Robinson vs. Louisa Mallery Robinson } in Chancery

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant, John Henry Robinson, from the defendant, Louisa Mallery Robinson.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Louisa Mallery Robinson, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
David Rothschild p. q. nov24 w4w-f

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the executor of the will of the late DONALD McLEAN, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said decedent to come forward and settle, and persons having claims against his estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

LEWIS H MACHEN, Executor.
no18 10t

HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTRATOR of the estate of ANNIE F. CHARLES, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, duly verified, for payment. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement at once.

HARRY F. CHARLES,
Administrator of the estate of Annie F. Charles. no21 10t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the administrator of the estate of HATTIE V. CREIGHTON, I hereby give notice that all persons having claims against the estate can present the same to me for payment and all persons indebted to the estate please settle the same.

FRANK C. CREIGHTON,
Administrator of the estate of Hattie V. Creighton. no21 10t

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RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective November 26, 1905.
Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9:23, 9 33 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:51 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:51 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

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S. H. HARDWICK, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
W. H. TAYLOE, Gen. Passenger Agent.
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Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect Nov. 26, 1905.

Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 51 a. m., 12 21, 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 51 a. m., 12 21, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 3 59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 56 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 32 p m. except Saturdays.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

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Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15, 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m.

Sundays—7 35